

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gathered in Town, County and Neighborhood.

—Away with the chronic grouch.
—Days are growing noticeably shorter.
—Much happiness is gained by making others happy.

—Mrs. Geo. Hoehn died in Newton Falls last Sunday, aged 73.

—Do not overlook any of the advertisements in today's Dispatch.

—Cleveland papers estimate that the city is increasing in population at the rate of 22,000 a year, which is surely a mighty growth.

—A move is being made in some neighboring towns to close on Sunday all places where ice-cream and soft drinks are sold.

—Every pedagogue in the county should arrange to attend the annual teachers' institute to be held in Canfield the last week in August.

—The civil service examination for a postmaster at Calla will be held in Leontina Saturday, Aug. 9, instead of August 8, as announced last week.

—Members of the Lisbon Methodist church are making strenuous efforts to wipe out the indebtedness of the church which has been carried for some time.

—A. C. Brown, formerly of Canfield, who for several years practiced dentistry in Burton, has closed his office there to take charge of an office in Canton on a salary basis.

—Henry Furry, a native of Portage county, died last week near Lake Brady, where he lived 54 years, aged 89. He was the second white child born in Brimfield township.

—The Niles News says S. O. Manchester, who left last week for the Cobalt gold fields, informs his friends that he is spending a very enjoyable time amid the grand scenery of the Canadian North.

—On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Chamberlain of Hudson celebrated their golden wedding. Mr. Chamberlain is well known throughout the state as a writer and speaker on agricultural subjects.

—The fifteenth annual reunion of the Bowman and Bright families will be held on the Warren fair grounds Saturday, August 2. James Bowman is president and Mrs. Charles Lee of Canfield secretary and treasurer.

—All Dispatch patrons in arrears on subscription are requested to make settlement with as little delay as possible. This is a small matter to each individual subscriber but in the aggregate means much to the publisher.

—The Boardman Farmers' Club will hold a big meeting in Southern Park Thursday, July 24, and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend. State Dairy and Food Commissioner S. E. Strode will be present and deliver the principal address.

—An epidemic of measles has started at Patmos. It is said there are at least thirty cases in the vicinity and the area are affected, grown persons as well as children. It is believed that the epidemic started when a boy with the measles attended the church recently.

—David W. Stambaugh, aged 56, one of the most prominent farmers of the vicinity of Perkins Corners, died at his residence there last Friday following a sun stroke which he suffered on July 1. Mr. Stambaugh was overcome by heat while working in the hay field on his farm and had been in a serious condition until his death.

—Niles has a musical organization that is said to be the only one of its kind in the state, if not in the country. It is a band composed of three generations of the Gilbert family and includes George Gilbert, bass; his son, E. A. Gilbert, baritone; his grandson, Allen Gilbert, clarinet; and his two other sons, Ralph and Ray, who play the cornet and French horn respectively.

—Chagrin Falls on Aug. 2 is going to fight out the question of whether it will be wet or dry. The wets have commanded another election, and, as the time limit of two years since the last election has expired, they will get the right again to test strength with the dries. In the last election the village went dry by a vote of 323 to 202. The situation has been accentuated by a raid the dries made on the town, June 7.

—The Garrettsville Journal very kindly hands us this baquet: President Wilson recently sent the name of C. C. Fowler to the senate for confirmation as postmaster at Canfield. Mr. Fowler is proprietor of The Mahoning Dispatch and ably supported Mr. Wilson in the last campaign. If he makes as good a postmaster as he does an editor Canfield will never have cause to regret his appointment. The Journal extends congratulations to Mr. Fowler and also to the patrons of the office.

—Warren Chronicle: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leet, of Chicago, Ill., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Leet. For a number of years Mr. Leet has been identified with the N. E. A. syndicate as a cartoonist. Mr. Leet has decided to go into business for himself, and has already contracted with a St. Louis, Mo., syndicate to handle his cartoons and strip work, as well as a Sunday supplement sheet. Mr. Leet began his artistic career in the schools at Girard. His first printed cartoon appeared in the Warren Daily Chronicle about 15 years ago.

—Kent Courier: Friends of Carl Seybold, the young Akron newspaperman, who as police clerk is missing, with a reported shortage of more than \$5,000, can not but feel sorry to think that Carl should have been blinded to his own best interests, that of thinking that he had to spend money not his own to make himself "a good fellow." You don't have to do that thing, and many a poor fellow has gone to ruin by not realizing that those who win are those who live within their means. A good fellow is an honest, temperate, sensible fellow one who does his work and keeps his own money and the public money in separate "pocketbooks." The "good fellow" tag is worn out when it means the life that takes vitality and money. Too many fellows have learned the lesson at great cost. We are all sorry that Carl Seybold—popular, courteous and gentlemanly always—should have been a victim of the sharks that care not who they ruin as long as they get the money for their own pockets.

EX-STATE SENATOR
BEHIND JAIL BARSStephen J. Stillwell Is Now
in Sing Sing Prison.

Ossing, N. Y., July 16.—Former Senator Stephen J. Stillwell is now convict number 63545, having been received at Sing Sing prison at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon to begin his sentence of from four to eight years.

Nerve Doesn't Desert Him.
His nerve did not desert him for a moment and he chatted cheerfully.

Even when the big iron gate at the prison closed behind him he was still smiling.

Stillwell was in charge of Sheriff Harburger and was handcuffed to Deputy Sheriff Coakley.

When he was nearing the prison he posed for the photographers and after the latter had snapped him they thanked him and expressed regret that they had been obliged to take his picture. In reply he said:

"That's all right. Every man must do his own work."

Asserts He Is Innocent.

He said he had no statement to make, having made one in New York denying any confession and asserting that he was an innocent man.

The warden would not say what cell Stillwell would be placed in and also said that he will be assigned to work in the morning and intimated that he would be placed as a clerk in the maintenance department.

WRITES POEM TO SULZER

Girl Who Is Suing Governor for
Breach of Promise Furnishes
Newspapers With Verses.

Philadelphia, July 16.—Mignon Hopkins, the Philadelphia girl who is suing Gov. William Sulzer of New York for \$30,000, for breach of promise, has furnished the newspapers with a poem written to him in 1908 when news of his marriage to another woman was brought to her. It reads:

In feeling I was but a child when first

We met long years ago,

As free and guileless as a bird that roams

The dreary woodland through.

My life was all a pleasant world, of sun-

beams and dew with April tears.

Life's brightest page was turned to me,

And naught I read of doubts or fears.

We met, we loved, long years ago, beneath

The same old stars above.

And gazing on the stars you told the

Trembling passion of your love.

I gave to you five years ago the only

Jewel that was mine.

My heart took off its lonely crown and

All its riches gave to thine.

Why did you fill my youthful life with

Such wild dreams of hope and bliss?

Why did you say you loved me so, if it

Were all to end in this?

You robbed me of my faith and trust; in

All life's beauty, love and truth;

You left me nothing, nothing save a

Hopeless, blighted, dreamless youth.

You loved me, too, when first we met;

You tender kisses told me so.

How changed you are from what you

Were, in life and love long years ago.

With mocking words and cold neglect my

Truth and passion are repaid.

And of a soul once filled with love, a

Dreary desert you have made.

Now, strike if you will and let your

Stroke be heavy as my weight of woe.

I shall not shrink, for I am cold, 'tis

Broken since long years ago.

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THE STROUSS-HIRSHBERG CO.'S GREAT AND UNEQUALED
July Clearance Sale

Is Now in Full Swing. Youngstown's Foremost Summer Sale

A mighty movement of merchandise is this great July Clearance Sale now in progress. Youngstown and vicinity knows of no sale that compares with it in point of sound, seasonable goods and the assuredly vigorous price-reductions.

Thousands and thousands of dollars worth of the most needed Summer merchandise will be forced out during this tremendous clearance at savings that will make every visitor to the sale an enthusiastic buyer.

Full proof of the desirability of everything found in the sale, is established by the fact that we have nothing to do with "seconds" or imperfect merchandise, nor with auction goods nor bankrupt stocks—devoting all our time to the selling of really reliable goods from the most dependable sources.

Summer Wash Goods, Domestic, White Goods

In the July Clearance at Savings You'll be Glad to Share

Fancy Batistes and Corded Dimities, striped and floral patterns, light and dark grounds, regularly up to 15c yard, at 9c

Fancy Marquisesettes, one lot of plaid and striped effects that sold up to 25c the yard, to be cleared at 10c

Colored Egyptian Tissues, dainty and sheer fabrics for cool Summer dresses regularly 25c the yard; sale-priced at 18c

Fancy Colored Crepes, white grounds with lovely little printings of pink, blue and lavender; regularly 18c a yard, at 18c

The Best Galateas, in a good selection of the wanted striped, figured and plain color effects; regularly 18c a yard, for 14c

Kindergarten Cloth, plain and fancy stripes and checks; regularly 25c the yard; in the July Clearance Sale at 21c

Wm. Anderson's Scotch Zephyr Gingham, 32 inch, plaids, stripes, checks and plains, world famous 25c goods, on sale for 19c

Colored Cotton Piques, 36 inches wide, in hello, sky and Copenhagen; regularly 29c the yard, to be cleared at, yard 21c

Fine Wash Goods, including odd assortments of Imported Crepes, Silk and Cotton Mulls, Silk-Striped Voiles and Eolienues, regularly up to 50c the yard, in the 25c

Imported Fancy Voiles, white grounds with colored figures of blue or tan; the regular 50c quality, will be cleared at, yard 33c

Pretty Bordered Voiles, with open-work and hem-stitched borders in self colors; blue and lavender; regularly 50c a yard 33c

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Imported Colored Dress Swisses, white with colored dots of pink, blue, green and black; regularly 50c; on sale at, yard 39c

Plain Silk Ratines, a very fine quality in black, sky blue and brown only; regularly 75c the yard, at 50c

Imported Embroidered Batistes, beautiful Summer goods in pink, blue, green, hello and black striped effects; regularly sold for 98c the yard, to be cleared away at, a yard 65c

Unbleached Muslin, yard wide, extra good value at the sale price, yard 5c

Unbleached Muslin, yard wide, the best 8c quality on sale for, a yard 6c

Unbleached Muslin, yard wide, the quality that's regularly 8c a yard, at 7c

Unbleached Muslin, 50 inches wide, good weight and firm finish, the very best 10c quality in the July Clearance at 8c

Bleached Muslin, yard wide, the quality that's regularly 8c a yard, at 6c

Bleached Muslin, the three most famous brands, 36 inches wide, regularly sold up to 11c the yard, on sale for 8c

The Best Percales, yard wide, the good staple light and dark colored patterns; regularly 12½c a yard, on sale for 10c

Light Shirting Prints, white with neat black figures and dots, our entire supply will be cleared at only, yard 5c

Bed Tickings, blue and white striped A. C. A. Tickings, the best quality money to sell at 18c, on sale at, a yard 14c

Silk-Finish Cambrics, fancy colorings, for comforts and drapery; regularly sold at 8c and 8½c a yard, on sale at 6c

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Comfort Cambrics, 36-inch, fancy colorings, the regular 12½c grade, at, yard 9c

Hospital Seersucker Gingham, blue and white striped, 10c grade, at, yard 8c

Fancy White Goods, all the striped and checked White Goods that were 12½c the yard, will be sold at, yard 9c

Fancy White Goods, checks, barred goods and stripings, all that were regularly 15c the yard, on sale at, yard 12c

Fancy White Goods, all the regular 19c goods, including barred, checked and striped effects, to be cleared at, yard 15c

Fancy White Goods, all the Lawns, Swisses and White Suitings that were 25c the yard, on sale at, a yard 19c

Fancy White Flaxons, in the dainty neat stripes and checks, 32-inch goods of great desirability for Summer wear-things. The kind that regularly sells for 25c a yard, at 18c

Fancy White Madras Waistings, in very pretty striped and figured patterns; regularly 39c the yard, on sale at, yard 29c

Silk Striped White Voiles, 40 inches wide, a lovely sheer quality for party and dancing dresses; the regular 50c quality, at 35c

Imported White Dress Swisses, real St. Gall goods, 32 inches wide; have been selling at 75c the yard, on sale at 59c

Fancy White Marquisesettes, 30 inches wide, pretty striped and brocaded patterns, have been selling at 39c the yard, at 25c

German Blue Indigo Shirtings, neat figures and dots; regularly 12½c yard, at 9c

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July Clearance Prices on Laces and Embroideries

Are of Wonderful Interest

Narrow Swiss and Cambric Insertions, also a few Edges; regularly up to 15c yard, at 3c

Lace Edges and Insertions, in Valenciennes, Cluny, Venise, Oriental, Linen, Torchon and Shadow, regularly up to 25c the yard, at only 9c

Point de Paris Laces, Edges and Insertions, 2 to 5 inches wide, so much wanted for Undermuslins; regularly 12½, 15c and 18c the yard, at 10c

Cambric Flouncings, 12-inch, eyelet and solid patterns; regularly 29c the yard, special at 23c

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